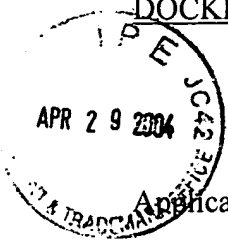


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Sir:

This reply is submitted in response to the Office Action dated January 30, 2004 of which a three-month shortened statutory period for response was set. Favorable reconsideration of the above identified patent application in view of the following amendments and remarks is respectfully requested. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.